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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Docket Number (Optional) 2183-5034US			
1	In re Application of Garssen et al.				
	Application Number	09/913,345 I	iled March 25, 2002		
	For PRION TEST				
	Group Art Unit 1645	Examiner R. Swartz			
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above identified application.					
The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):					
☑ One month (37 CFR	1.17(a)(1))		\$ <u>120.00</u>		
☐ Two months (37 CFF	R 1.17(a)(2))				
☐ Three months (37 Cl	FR 1.17(a)(3))		\$		
☐ Four months (37 CF	R 1.17(a)(4))		\$		
☐ Five months (37 CF	R 1.17(a)(5))		\$		
 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$					
Date			Signature		
		Allen C. Tu			
Typed or printed name NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple					
forms if more than one signature is required, see below*.					
*Total of 1 forms are submitted. CERTIFICATE OF MAILING					
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